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SALEM DAHLIA GARDENS

236 Grant St.

Salem, New Jersey

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(Salem Dahlia Gardens)

This dahlia upon opening apperrs somewhat on the semi-cactus type, but as it developes the edges of the petals fall back and roll forming quills which gradually incurve. It is rose pink with a cream center and the most beautiful and artistic dahlia we have ever introduced. Blooms are twelve inches and over with good depth and are held on long straight stems. The bush attains a height of six to seven feet and has good foliage.

It won the A. H. A. Medal at both Peekskill (N.Y.) and Washington (D.C.) and the \$50 Gov. Bond at the latter place; was a Gold Medal Certificate winner at the A. D. S. Show at the World's Fair, and first in the Court of Honor of the N. N. J. Hort. Soc. Show. The blooms exhibited at Peekskill were grown by Gordon Waaser at his gardens at Baldwin, L. I., and were over twelve inches across. Stock limited.

Root \$20.00; plant, \$10.00.

#### ALL-AMERICAN, Semi-Cac.

(Salem Dahlia Gardens)

Mulberry rose suffused salmon with wax yellow at base of petals. The petals twist somewhat and point in all directions. The bushes are six to seven feet high and are covered with immense blooms which are held almost on top of straight stems. This is a very hardy variety and blooms are nearly as large when grown in the open without fertilizer as when forced.

It won the A. H. A. Medal at the Wisconsin State Show at Milwaukee; was most outstanding specimen bloom at both Peekskill and Poughkeepsie; was first semi-cactus at the Central States Show, and blue ribbon winner in several other shows. This is the only new dablia that has the distinction of being on ALL the Honor Rolls. Award of Merit at Georgia Trials.

Root \$15.00; Plant \$7.50



ALL-AMERICAN, Semi-Cac.



CLASS, F. D.

(Salem Dahlia Gardens)

This sulphur yellow formal has been grown to 15½ inches, but under ordinary conditions it is an II-inch bloom. We believe it to be the largest and best formal to date. It is very compact, is not at all coarse, and the petals fall well back towards the stem when the bloom is fully developed. The stems are straight and rigid and hold the blcoms almost directly on top. The bushes are rugged, of medium height, and will produce five and six 10 and 11-inch blooms at the same time.

It was the best yellow formal at the A. D. S. Show at the World's Fair; best formal at Central States Show at Chicago; was the most outstanding specimen bloom in the 1939 Poughkeepsie show when exhibited as a two-year old seedling.

Root \$15.00; Plant \$7.50

CLASS, F. D.

TROJAN, I. D.

(Salem Dahlia Gardens)

Here is one that many say is a super dahlia. It is immense in size and the blooms have long and straight stems and are produced in profusion. In color the bloom is crimson red overlaid wax yellow with the yellow more pronounced on reverse of petals. The petals twist somewhat, further enhancing this wonderful dahlia. The bush is of medium height and very hardy.

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Root \$15.00; Plant \$7.50.

#### GLENDEN COMET, Semi-Cac.

(Glenden Dahlia Gardens)

The runner-up for the A. H. A. Medal at Baltimore. This dahlia is of medium size, 7-8 inches by 5-5½ inches. It has a very fine formation while the color is very attractive, being a glowing burnt orange with yellow edging and suffused with yellow. The stems are long and straight and the bushes attain a height of seven feet and are covered with fine exhibition blooms.

Root \$10.00; Plant \$5.00



GLENDEN COMET, Semi-Cac.

#### CHARLOTTE E. COLLIS, F-1. D.

(New Zealand Origin)

The color is a gloricus, bright orange flame with orange reverse, a combination greatly enhanced by the petals being slightly rolled, twisted and pointed at the tips. The flowers are large, but not immense, and are carried well above the foliage on long, stiff steams. Bush of medium height and an open grower. The Champion of all Champions of New Zealand. No exhibitor can afford to be without this variety.

Roots \$5.00; Plants \$2.50.

Note-The above six varieties are listed on the Honor Rolls.

#### TIM MURPHY, F. D.

(New Zealand Origin)

If you want something in the formal purple class that really growns big, here it is. In color it is French purple with a very deep garnet base reflexed with veins of true purple. The blooms are held almost directly on top of stiff stems. The bush growth is of medium height, very rugged and appears to be insect resistant.

Roots \$5.00; Plants \$2.50.

#### WHITE HART, I. D.

We have been growing this fine Foreign variety very successfully for the past two years. The blooms are white with a faint tinge of lavender; have great size and good, long stems. It should prove to be a wonderful exhibition variety.

Roots \$5.00; Plants \$2.50

### Some Of Our Previous Winners

Flash, S. C.-C.—This striking bi-color (red tipped white) which won the Leonard Barron Memorial Medal, A. H. A. Medal and several other prizes in 1939, again performed well the past season by winning in many shows.

Roots \$6.00.

Progress, I. D.—The large rosy mauve, winner of the A. H. A. Medal and many other prizes in 1939, was grown very successfully and won in many shows all over the country the past season.

Roots \$6.00.

Everybody's Favorite, I. D., rose pink, \$4.00 per root; Glamour, I. D., purple \$4.00; Brilliant Lady, I. D., \$3.00; My Delight, I. D., pink, \$2.00; Mrs. B. Amber, I. D., yellow, \$2.00; Robt. L. Ripley, I. D., rhodamine purple, \$1.50; Greater Glory, S. C., rose pink \$1.50.

We are growing over a hundred varieties of dahlias originated by us and other growers. Send us your requirements and we shall be glad to quote prices. Be sure to get our Rooted Cuttings List, ready about March 10th. Any of the varieties herein listed may also be purchased from Glenden Dahlia Gardens, 230 N. Clayton St., Wilmington, Del.

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